

CRIMPING TOOL

ABSTRACT

A crimping tool includes a crimping drum that is rotatably supported within a
5 housing for displacement between a plurality of crimping positions, thereby to position a
selected one of a plurality of crimping dies opposite a window through which the bare end
of an insulated conductor is introduced, characterized by the provision of a first drum
locking arrangement that connects the drum to the housing via a die selecting wheel that
is non-rotatably connected with the drum. A second retaining arrangement is operable to
10 lock the other end of the crimping drum to the housing.